

HOUSE BILL 1653

By Bass

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 6,
Chapter 54, relative to municipal powers.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 6-54-111, is amended by adding the following as a new subsection (e):

(e) Each municipality that appropriates funds for the financial aid of any nonprofit charitable organization or any nonprofit civic organization in accordance with this section that also operates or maintains a municipal web site shall create and maintain a web page that provides information to the public concerning such appropriations. At a minimum, the web page shall provide access to a copy of the municipality's guidelines adopted pursuant to subsection (b), a list of the organizations receiving funding pursuant to this section for the current fiscal year, and information concerning the process for applying for funding for the following fiscal year. This section shall only apply to municipalities that operate or maintain a web site, and nothing in this section shall require a municipality to create a web site if the municipality does not, on the effective date of this act, operate or maintain a web site.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming law, the public welfare requiring it.